

I. AMENDMENT

Clean version:

Please amend the claims as follows:

71. (Twice amended) A method of treating a proliferative eye disease, comprising administering locally to a patient a therapeutically effective amount of a ribozyme which cleaves RNA encoding a cyclin PCNA, such that said proliferative eye disease is treated.

72. (Twice amended) A method of treating a proliferative eye disease, comprising administering locally to a patient an effective amount of a nucleic acid molecule comprising a promoter operably linked to a nucleic acid segment encoding a ribozyme which cleaves RNA encoding a cyclin PCNA, such that said proliferative eye disease is treated.

85. (Twice amended) The method according to claim 71 wherein said ribozyme is administered intraocularly.

86. (Twice amended) The method according to claim 71 wherein said ribozyme is formulated within a solution.

106. (Amended) The method according to claims 71 or 72 wherein said RNA encoding said cyclin PCNA comprises SEQ ID NO: 4145.

107. (Amended) The method according to claims 71 or 72 wherein said ribozyme comprises a sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 4381, 4382, 4383, 4384 and 4385.

108. (Amended) The method of claim 107, wherein said sequence is SEQ ID NO: 4385.

Please add the following claim:

110. (New) The method according to claim 72 wherein said nucleic acid molecule is administered intraocularly.